

**TOWN OF SOMERS
THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE ELDERLY
MINUTES OF JUNE 8, 2010 MEETING**

CALL TO ORDER: Meeting called to order by Jenifer Charette at 11:35 A.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Elaine Bemont, Jenifer Charette, Dorothy Hillman and Marilyn Smith

MEMBERS ABSENT: Pat Bachetti, Jordan Chatis, Donna Doyker and Arlene Yarnes

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Approval of minutes of My 11, 2010 with a motion by Marilyn Smith and a second by Dottie Hillmani.

AUDIENCE: None

CORRESPONDENCE: Letter received from Susan King submitting her resignation from the Board due to taking on other obligations. Letter also received from Pat Bachetti with regrets that she could not attend this meeting due to personal obligations.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Chairperson's Report - *Trip to Toronto taking place now. *New bus returned to action and old bus has been repaired and is ready for use. *Seeking volunteer drivers to help some seniors get to out-of-town doctor appointments, etc. *Seeking volunteer housekeepers to help those in need of this service. Ways are being looked into to offer a small wage for this effort.

Meals on Wheels – Susan King will still head this program and has reported that things are going well at this time.

Senior Lunches/Senior Club – Arlene was not present but has reported that the tag sale went well and \$57 was raised for the soda fund. Special thanks goes to Marie Worthington who spent all day selling items and being a big help to all.

Senior Sign – Donna was not present .

Senior Support – Pat Bachetti reported via email that she is currently working with four people. She is still sending cards and visiting with them.

Somers Community Health and Wellness Association – Marilyn Smith reported that a health fair has been set up for October 2 at the Somers Elementary School from 10 to 1 o'clock . In addition, a flu clinic will be held at the senior center on October on October 12 from 1 to 4 o'clock.

OLD BUSINESS:

Facility Maintenance – Mr. Wilcox has repainted the yellow safety lines outside the main entrance to the building. He has also painted the front entrance way and has worked hard to try to keep things looking good.

Boy Scout Eagle Project – Scout Joe Bailey has planted a garden on the premises as part of his eagle project. Planted are tomatoes, peppers, yellow squash and zucchini squash. Looks like things are coming along good.

NEW BUSINESS:

Newsletter – July/August newsletter is in the preparation stage.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 11:50 P.M. by motion of Elaine Bemont with a second by Marilyn Smith..

Respectfully submitted,

Elaine L. Bemont, Secretary

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